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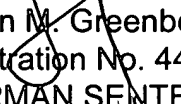
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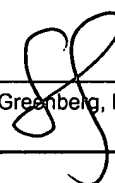
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 8, 2002 (the "Office Action"),  
please amend the claims of the above-identified patent application as follows, and  
please further consider the foregoing arguments setting forth the patentability of the  
claims both amended and unamended herein:

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1 and 11 as follows:

1. (Twice Amended) A method for moderating external access to an electronic document authoring, development and distribution system comprising the steps of: